



## **Monday Morning Update**

### **February 5, 2018**

**News**

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**Parents can now apply for the Summer Camp Scholarship Program!**

The Summer Camp Scholarship Program offers eligible children, ages 5-14 and a special population up to age 17, a full scholarship to day camp for the entire summer. Scholarship includes all tuition and fees. The program is funded by Children's Services Council and Palm Beach County Youth Services. To access the Summer Camp Scholarship Program Provider Application and view the list of outreach events,

[click here.](#)

**United Way of Palm Beach County announces release of FY 2018-2019 for Income**

United Way of Palm Beach County has released its Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Request for Proposals (RFP) for the Targeted Care Area of Income. [Click here](#) to access the RFP and apply. United Way will hold two applicant orientation sessions on **Thursday, Feb. 18 , 2 - 4:30 p.m., and Tuesday, Feb. 13, 9 - 11:30 a.m.** Both sessions will be held at Palm Beach State College's Lake Worth Campus. [Click here](#) to register. Deadline is March 13.

**Nominate your hero for the Heroes in Medicine Awards by Feb. 9**

Do you know a physician or other health care professional who has dedicated countless hours to improve the health of our community? The Palm Beach County Medical Society Services wants to know about these Heroes in Medicine. If selected, they will be honored at an the annual Heroes in Medicine Awards luncheon on April 20 at the Kravis Center. [Click here](#) to learn more and nominate your hero. Nomination deadline is Feb. 9.

**Nonprofit registration for Great Give 2018 is now open!**

Nonprofit registration for the 5th Annual Great Give opens today, Jan. 29. [Click here](#) to register. Great Give provides the opportunity for hundreds of local nonprofits to raise much-needed funds while generating awareness and garnering new donors. The 5th Annual Great Give will take place on April 24, 2018 from midnight to midnight. Join the upcoming webinar on Jan. 31 at noon to for participation details. [Learn more here](#).

**Council Update: After Hurricane Irma, Council provided support to local families in need**

Hurricane Irma took a disproportionate toll on Palm Beach County families served by Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County, many of whom already were struggling financially. In response, the Council authorized funded programs within its maternal-child services system, its BRIDGES programs and the Relative Caregiver Program to help families in need. [Read more](#).

**Prime Time Palm Beach County to release Request for Proposals**

Prime Time Palm Beach County is seeking qualified organizations to provide high-quality expanded learning opportunities for out-of-school time programs or to deliver train-the-trainer sessions for practitioners serving school-age children and youth in out-of-school time programs in Palm Beach County, Florida. The RFP submission deadline is March 16. [Click here](#) to learn more.



**School nurses: Want your kids to stay healthy? Tell them to wash those hands!**

Even if you're ensuring your children sleep enough, eat well and exercise, those efforts may be wasted if they're not washing their hands. That's what more than 270 U.S. school nurses said in a 2013 survey by KidsHealth in the Classroom, which emphasizes hand-washing as the best way to prevent children from getting sick. [Read more](#)

[here](#). For parenting tips, advice and local resources create a family profile at [EveryParentPBC.org](http://EveryParentPBC.org).

**Events**

**Parent Institute with BRIDGES at Pahokee**  
Thursday, Feb. 8

**Magic Wheels and Special Deals**  
Friday, Feb. 9

**Third Annual Glades Family Fun Fest**  
Saturday, Feb. 24

9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
BRIDGES at Pahokee  
170 S. Barfield Hwy  
Pahokee

BRIDGES at Pahokee is providing parents use of the resource library for its Parent Institute. Parents will have access to a variety of books to practice reading with their children, or to review language, math, social studies and science. Please join us for an interactive learning experience. For more information, please 561.924.9224. [Click here](#) for more events with BRIDGES.

**Guardian ad Litem's Storybook Village**  
Sunday, March 11  
1 - 5 p.m.  
CityPlace  
700 S. Rosemary Ave.  
West Palm Beach

Bring your little reader to this fun and free event where storybooks come to life! Speak Up For Kids and the Guardian ad Litem Program of Palm Beach County will be hosting the second annual Storybook Village. There will be booths with special guest readers, face painting, adopt-a-book(s) and more! [Click here](#) for more information.

6 - 7:30 p.m.  
Congress Avenue Barrier Free Park  
3111 S. Congress Ave.  
Boynton Beach

Witness the unveiling of this year's magic wheelchair! Microenterprise vendors owned and operated by individuals with special needs like the Foodies4Autism food truck will be onsite. Learn more about this family friendly event [here](#).

**Listen in! 18th Annual Community Baby Shower**  
Saturday, Feb. 24  
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
Inlet Grove Community High School  
600 W. 28th St.  
Riviera Beach

The National Coalition of 100 Black Women - West Palm Beach Chapter is hosting its annual community-wide baby shower. This event is open to all expecting parents and new parents with children younger than twelve months. [Click here](#) to listen to the event radio ad. For more information and to register, [click here](#).

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
Glades Pioneer Park  
866 S.R. 715  
Belle Glade

Glades Family Fun Fest is a four-hour event that for residents and kids to get out and get active through dance, bounce houses, rock climbing and team sports like soccer. The Health and Wellness Village will have information, free health screenings and giveaways. [Click here](#) for more information.

**Palm Beach County Library System celebrates Black History Month**

The Palm Beach County Library System invites you to a month-long celebration with events that honor the heritage, contributions and achievements of our African-American community. Enjoy musical performances, book discussions, films and more. [Click here](#) to view a list of events for additional Black History Month activities.

## Trainings

**Pink Shirt Day Workshops for bullying prevention**

Tuesday, Feb. 6  
10 a.m. - noon  
Tuesday Feb. 13  
9 - 11 a.m. or  
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Prime Time Palm Beach County and the Literacy Coalition of Palm Beach County will host and facilitate a two-day Pink Shirt Day Kick-Off to train and prepare you to create your own Pink Shirt Day 2018 celebration at your afterschool program. Take with you bullying prevention resources, fun activities and free books to share with the children in your program on Pink Shirt Day taking place on Feb. 28, 2018. [Click here](#) to register.

**Save the date: Diabetes Coalition of Palm Beach County Symposium**

Friday, April 27  
8 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.  
Scripps Research Institute  
130 Scripps Way, Bldg B  
Jupiter

The Diabetes Coalition of Palm Beach County is hosting its third annual diabetes educational symposium for healthcare providers and professionals. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

**Bicycle helmet fitting training**

Thursday, Feb. 8  
1 - 4 p.m.  
Palm Beach County Fire Rescue HQ  
405 Pike Road  
West Palm Beach

Palm Beach County Fire Rescue and Safe Kids Palm Beach County are offering a free bicycle helmet fitting training. This training will show you how to fit bicycle helmets correctly, identify when helmets need replacing, explain the different styles and certifications and how helmets work. RSVP to Kelly Powell at [kpowell@cp-cto.org](mailto:kpowell@cp-cto.org).

**2018 Human Services Transportation Summit**

Tuesday, Feb. 20  
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Palm Beach Therapeutic Recreation Complex  
2728 Lake Worth Rd.  
Lake Worth

The 2018 Human Services Transportation Summit will provide an opportunity for human services transportation agency staff, transportation providers, advocates, planners, and consumers to learn, share best practices and to network. [Click here](#) to register.

**Fearless Caregiver Conference**

Thursday, Feb. 8  
10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.  
Carolyn Sims Center  
225 NW 12th Ave.,  
Boynton Beach

Join other caregivers for the Fearless Caregiver Conference this Thursday. Attendees will learn how to become a fearless member of your loved one's care team, motivate family members to help, legally protect your aging parents and more. Listen to the panel of experts to help with your caregiver solutions. Limited free tickets are available for family caregivers. [Click here](#) for more information and to register.

**Training on protecting children from sexual abuse**

Thursday, Feb. 8  
2 - 4 p.m.  
SandyPines Gymnasium  
11301 SE Tequesta Terr.  
Tequesta

Join SandyPines for a free CEU training event to learn how to identify and prevent sexual abuse in children. [Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

**Afterschool and Summer  
Camp Job Fair**

Wednesday, Feb. 7  
Palm Beach State College  
Public Safety Conference  
Center, Room PSD 108  
4200 Congress Ave.  
Lake Worth

Palm Beach State College (PBSC) will its first After School and Summer Camp Job Fair. Exhibiting employers are hiring now: several city and county government agencies, Palm Beach County School District, private schools and camps. PBSC will be there to help, hire and provide training. [Click here](#) to learn more.

**Sugar Sand Park's  
programs and activities  
for special needs kids**

The Community Center at Sugar Sand Park offers various classes, parent workshops and activities for special needs children and their families. Don't miss upcoming events like the Sunday sensory-friendly movies, the free Especially For Kids family event and the children's explorium. For more information, [click here](#) to view their Spring 2018 flyer.

**Free training: Master the  
Complexities of  
Independent Living  
Benefits**

Tuesday, Feb. 22  
1 - 3:30 p.m.  
Alvin Sherman Library at  
Nova Southeastern  
University  
3100 Ray Ferraro Jr. Dr.,  
Room 4009, Davie

Florida offers a variety of assistance to young adults who were formerly in Florida's child welfare system. This training will review the benefits, eligibility and advocacy strategies for helping young people get off on the best foot possible. [Click here](#) to register.

**BoysTown's Common  
Sense Parenting**

Wednesdays  
Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28  
March 7 and 14  
1 - 3 p.m.

Parents are invited to join BoysTown for fun, interactive parenting classes to help with balancing discipline with affection, praising your child's good behavior, reducing problem behavior and more. [Click here](#) to learn more. [Click here](#) to register.

**MY LIFE youth group**

Wednesday, Feb. 21  
6 - 8 p.m.  
McDonald Wilson Center  
Gaines Park  
1501 N. Australian Ave  
West Palm Beach

MY LIFE is a free, fun and inspiring group for youth between the ages of 13 and 23 who have experience with mental health issues, substance use, foster care and/or other challenges. MY LIFE empowers youth to use their experience and voices to create positive change for themselves and others. Learn more and register [here](#).

**Save the date for the  
2018 First 1,000 Days  
Summit**

Sept. 26 - 28, 2018  
Palm Beach County  
Convention Center

Mark your calendar and plan to attend this statewide multi-disciplinary, cross-sector conference focusing on science, skill-building and advocacy for home visitors and other early childhood staff serving expectant and new families with children through age 3. [Learn more here](#).

## Enhance your hiring search with free job postings

Children's Services Council continues to offer free job postings for CSC-funded providers in Palm Beach County. For job openings at CSC-funded agencies, [click here](#).

If you are a CSC-funded agency, contact Paulina Rudzinska at [Paulina.Rudzinska@cscpb.org](mailto:Paulina.Rudzinska@cscpb.org) to post a position on CSC's website.

## Additional Resources

[Visit the CSC website](#)  
[CSC Employment](#)  
[CSC Provider Agency Employment](#)  
[Search for Trainings](#)

## Do you have information for the MMU?

Email your MMU submission to [mmu@cscpb.org](mailto:mmu@cscpb.org). [Click here](#) to review the MMU Submission Guidelines.

[Sign up for the MMU!](#)

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